

2012 RECOMMENDED READING LIST

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Book Title	Level	Book Title	Level	Book Title	Level
Here Comes Tabby Cat	B/C	Max (Series)	E-H	In Granda Rita's Garden	K
Hey, Tabby Cat	B/C	Max & the Little Plant	E-H	Inch by Inch	K
Piggy & Dad Play	B/C	Max Goes Fishing	E	Jamaica's Find	K
Mouse (4 titles)	B/C	Max Rides His Bike	E	Koala Lou	K
Well Done Worm!	B/C	Max & Jake	G	Little Bill	K
WOW, It's Worm!	C/D	A Friend for Max	G	Mercy Watson	K
Monkey (4 titles)	C/D	New Glasses for Max	H	Minnie & Moo	K
Nickey (Series)	C-E	Biscuit	F-H	Nate the Great	K
The Bumper Cars	C	Biscuit	F	Rainbow Boys	K
The Merry-Go-Round	C	Biscuit Finds a Friend	F	Ruby the Copycat	K
Wake Up Dad	C	Biscuit Visits the Big City	F	The Last Puppy	K
The Flower Girl	C	Biscuit Wants to Play	F	The Littles	K
Where Are The Sunhats	D	Biscuit's New Trick	G	The Paper Bag Princess	K
Hide and Seek	D	Biscuit's Big Friend	H	The Relatives Came	K
Snowy Geta A Wash	E	Hello Biscuit	H	Walking By Rio	K
Kitty Cat (Series)	C-F	Little Critter (Series)	G-I	When I go to Granda's House	K
Kitty Cat	C	I Just Forgot	G	When Sophia Gets Angry	K
Kittu Cat and Fat Cat	D	Just Me & My Puppy	H	Who Sank the Boat	K
Kitty Cat and the Fish	D	Just Me & My Babysitter	H	Zack's Alligator	K
Kitty Cat Plays Inside	E	Little Critter Sleeps Over	H	Fancy Nancy	L
Kitty Cat and the Paint	F	Just a Mess	I	George & Martha	L
Jack and Billy (Series)	C-G	Just Grandpa & Me	I	Horrible Harry	L
Jack and Billy	C	Morris & Moose	H-j	Minnie & Moo Go Dancing	L
Bedtime	C	Morris & Moose	H	Pee Wee Scout	L
Photo Shop	C	Morris Goes to School	J	Pickle Puss	L
Jack's Birthday	C	Morris & Borriss at the Circle	J	Pinkey & Rex	L
The Big Hit	D	Danny the Dinosaur	H	Pinky & Rex	L
Billy Can't Count	D	Fly Guy	J	Raven's Gift	L
Braed for the Ducks	D	Dragon Tales	I	Ready Freddie	L
Billy is Hiding	D	Toby & BJ	I	Red Riding Hood	L
Billy at School	F	And I Mean It, Stanley	J	Say "Cheese"	L
Sam (Series)	E-H	Apple Pie Fourth of July	J	Scaredy Squirrel	L
Sam and Bingo	C	Aunt Eater Loves a Mystery	J	Shop Talk	L
Sam's Balloon	C	Big Max	J	Something Beautiful	L
Sam's Race	C	Detective Dinosaur	J	Song Lee in Room 2B	L
Sam's Picnic	D	Fox and His Friends	J	Tales of Amanada Pig	L
Bing's Ice Cream Cone	D	Googles	J	Tales of Oliver Pig	L
Sam and the Waves	D	Harry the Dirty Dog	J	The New Kids of Plok School	L
Sam Goes to School	E	Little Bear	J	The Pain and the Great One	L
Bingo's Birthday	E	Mr. Putty & Tabby	J	The Three Little Pigs	L
Look Out for Bingo	E	Oliver Button is a Sissy	J	The Vampire Bunny	L
Sam's Painting	F	Poppleton	J	Tooter Pepperday	L
Bingo Goes to School	F	Poppleton	J	Tooth Trouble	L
Sam's Haircut	H	The Author on my Street	J	Whistle for Willie	L
Little Chimp (Series)	C-H	Young Cam Jansen	J	Arthur	M
Little Chimp	C	Zelda & Ivy	J	Baily School Bus	M
Here Comes Little Chimp	C	A Letter to Amy	K	It's All in the Name	M
Little Chimp & Big Chimp	C	Commander Toad in Space	K	Ivy and Bean	M
Little Chimp Runs Away	D	Fluffy Meets the Tooth Fairy	K	Jigsaw Jones	M
Little Chimp & Baby Chimp	F	High Rise Private Eye	K	Jingle Dancer	M
Little Chimp Finds Some Fruit	G	Houndsley & Catina	K	Judy Moody	M

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Junie B. Jones	M	Getting' Through Thursday	O	Tar Beach	P
Katie Kazoo Switcheroo	M	Kristy's Great Idea	O	Thank You, Jackie Robinson	P
Magic Tree House	M	Mary Ann Saves the Day	O	The Gray-Eyed Goddess	P
Marvin Redpost	M	Otis Spofford	O	The Hundred Penny Box	P
Mostly Monty	M	Pony Pals: A Pony in Trouble	O	The Indian School	P
Out of Bounds	M	Ralph S. Mouse	O	The Knights of the Kitchen Table	P
Players in Pigtales	M	Ramona (Series)	O	The Lotus Seed	P
Please Bury me in the Library	M	Sable	O	The Not So-Jolly Roger	P
Riverside Kids	M	Saving Sweetness	O	The One-Eyed Giant	P
Scaredy Squirrel	M	Seven Kisses in a Row	O	Trapped in Space	P
Stone Soup	M	Smasher	O	Tut, Tut	P
Stuck in the Middle	M	Starring Grace	O	Viking It and Liking It	P
Thank You, Mr. Falker	M	Summer Wheels	O	Westlandia	P
Third Grade is Terrible	M	Talk About a Family	O	Who Stole "The Wizard of Oz?"	P
A to Z Mysteries	N	The Golden Glove	O	Your Mother Was a Neanderthal	P
Amber Brown	N	The New Kid at School	O	Zooman Sam	P
Busybody Nora	N	Tornado	O	Drita, My Homegirl	Q
Captain Mysteries	N	A Girl Called Al	P	Full Court Fever	Q
Chicken Sunday	N	Baseball, Snakes, and Summer	P	Go-Kart Rush	Q
Don't Sit on My Lunch	N	Captain Underpants (Series)	P	Lucinda's Secret	Q
Donavan's Word Jar	N	DeShawn Days	P	Moon Runner	Q
Elisa in the Middle	N	Face-Off	P	Panitball Blast	Q
Gadget War	N	Fantastic Mr. Fox	P	Stranded	Q
Hey, New Kid!	N	Felita	P	Superfudge	Q
Horrid Henry	N	Fly Away Home	P	Tales of a Fourth Grade Nothing	Q
Julian and Huey	N	Fourth Grade is a Jinx	P	The Field Guide	Q
Julius, The baby of the World	N	George's Marvelous Medicine	P	The Lucky Ones	Q
Keepers	N	Gooseberry Park	P	The Seeing Stone	Q
Key to the Treasure	N	Hey Kid, Want to Buy a Bridge	P	The Toilet paper Tigers	Q
Lilly's Purple Plastic Purse	N	Indian Shoes	P	The World According to Humphrey	Q
Meet Danitra Brown	N	It's All Greek to Me	P	There's an Owl in the Shower	Q
More Stories Huey Tells	N	Jake's 100th Day of School	P	You Be the Jury	Q
Mufaro's Beautiful Daughters	N	John, Paul, George and Ben	P	A Dime a Dozen	R
My Nmae is Maria Isabel	N	Knots on the Counting Rope	P	A Dog Called Kitty	R
Nancy Drew & the Clue Crew	N	Mammalabilia	P	Beyond the Deepwoods	R
Puppy Place	N	Martin's Mice	P	Caddie Woodlawn	R
Ruby Lu, Brave and True	N	My Mother Got Married	P	Charlotte's Web	R
School's Out	N	No Flying In the House	P	Clarice Bean Spells Trouble	R
Shoeshine Girl	N	Oh, Brother	P	Danger on the Panther Peak	R
Sylvester and the Magic Pebble	N	Oliver's Game	P	Every Living Thing	R
The Boy Who Ate Dog Biscuits	N	Owls in the Family	P	Fig Pudding	R
The Boy Who Cried Big Foot	N	Return To Howliday Inn	P	Freaky Friday	R
The Chalk Box Kid	N	Riding Freedom	P	Frindle	R
The Chocolate Touch	N	Secrets!	P	Ghost Sitter	R
The Enormous Crocodile	N	See You Later Gladiator	P	Hatchet	R
The Magic Finger	N	Skatepark Challenge	P	How Tia Lola Came to Stay	R
The Math Wiz	N	Skinnybones	P	How to Eat Fried Worms	R
The Year of the Panda	N	Stone Fox	P	Hunter's Moon	R
Third Grade Detective	N	Storm Surfer	P	Iggie's House	R
Zack Files	N	Summer Reading is Killing Me	P	Lunch Money	R
Clementine's Letter	O	Surprises According to Humphery	P	Megan's Island	R

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Midnight Over Sanctraphrax	R	The Forests of Silence	S	The Isle of Illusion	T
Miracles on Maple Hill	R	The Lake of Tears	S	The Kid Who Ran for President	T
Misty of Chincoteague	R	The Onts	S	The Last Straw	T
Mystery Stories	R	The Pirate, Big Fist, and Me	S	The Leanin' Dog	T
Nasty Stinky Sneakers	R	The Robe of Skulls	S	The Night Journey	T
No Talking	R	The Sea of Monsters	S	The Rifle	T
Nothing's Fair in Fifth Grade	R	The Young Man and The Sea	S	The Schernoff Discoveries	T
Otherwise Known as Sheila	R	Trapped	S	The Secret Life of Amanda K	T
Our Only May Amelia	R	Uncle Jed's Barbershop	S	The Sign of the Beaver	T
Return to Del	R	Baby	T	The Steps	T
Rules	R	A Summer to Die	T	The Tail of Emily Windsnap	T
Sarah, Plain and Tall	R	A Week in the Woods	T	The Tiger Rising	T
School Story	R	Amalee	T	The Time Hacker	T
Secret Identity	R	An Angel for Solomon Singer	T	The Toothpaste Millionaire	T
Shiloh	R	Becoming Joe DiMaggio	T	Then Again, Maybe I Won't	T
Snow Traesure	R	Blubber	T	Throwing Shadows	T
Strider	R	Bridge to Terabithia	T	Tracker	T
Stuart Little	R	Bright Shadow	T	Trouble Don't Last	T
Sun and Spoon	R	Cousins	T	What Jamie Saw	T
The Castle in the Attic	R	Cracker Jackson	T	Wish on a Unicorn	T
The Celery Stocks at Midnight	R	Crazy Fish	T	Year of No Rain	T
The Computer Nut	R	Darby	T	Bud, Not Buddy	U
The Doll's House	R	Diary of a Wimpy Kid (Series)	T	Freeglader	U
The Ironwood Tree	R	Dread Mountain	T	Heaven	U
The Island	R	Fair Weather	T	Rule of the Road	U
The Jacket	R	Harriet the Spy	T	Rules of the Road	U
The Journey	R	Hate that Cat	T	The Fairy-Tale Detective	U
The Landry News	R	Here's To you Rachel Robins	T	The Graduation of Jake Moon	U
The Last of the Sky Pirates	R	I, Coriander	T	The Problem Child	U
The Library Card	R	Inkspell	T	The View from Saturady	U
The Maze of Bones	R	It's Not the End of the World	T	Thunder Rolling in the Mountain	U
The Maze of the Beast	R	Jackie and Me	T	Wait Till Helen Comes Home	U
The Midnight Fox	R	Just as Long as We're Together	T	Words By Heart	U
The Monster's Ring	R	Leon's Story	T	Wringer	U
The Report Card	R	Love That Dog	T	Becoming Naomi Leon	V
The Shifting Sands	R	Lupita Manana	T	Birdwing	V
The Stray	R	Molly Moon Stops the World	T	Chasing Redbird	V
The Trumpet of the Swan	R	My Louisiana Sky	T	Dragon Rider	V
The Whipping Boy	R	Nory Ryan's Song	T	Getting Near to Baby	V
The Witches	R	Replay	T	Gregor (Series)	V
The Wrath of Mulgarath	R	Rowan (Series)	T	Habibi	V
They Came from Center Field	R	Sees Behind Trees	T	Harris and Me	V
Trapped!	R	Shoeless Joe and Me	T	Holes	V
Zeely	R	Sing Down the Moon	T	Island of the Blue Dolphin	V
A Maze Me: Poems for Girls	S	Something Upstairs	T	Kensuk'e Kingdom	V
Dragon's Nests	S	Souder	T	Locomotion	V
Granny Torrelli Makes Soup	S	Surviving the Applewhites	T	Lord of the Shadows	V
Isle of the Dead	S	The Barn	T	Money Hungry	V
Project Mulberry	S	The Black Stallion	T	Olive's Ocean	V
Shadowgate	S	The Forgotten Door	T	Pictures of Hollis Woods	V
Sister of the South	S	The Great Brain	T	Pleasing the Ghost	V

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Princess Academy	V	A Cool Moonlight	X	The Lake of Souls	Z
Rascal	V	Al Capone Does My Shirts	X	Life As We Knew It	Z
Ruby Holler	V	America	X	Lost And Found	Z
Silent to the Bone	V	The Angel Experiemnt	X	A Matter of Trust	Z
So Hard to Say	V	The Clique	X	Miracle's Boys	Z
Stargirl	V	Criss Cross	X	Monster	Z
The Eyes of the Amaryllis	V	Feathers	X	The Moves Make The Man	Z
The Fighting Ground	V	Golem's Eyes	X	A Matter of Trust	Z
The Ghost Belongs to Me	V	The Graveyard Book	X	The Outsiders	Z
The Girl Who Could Fly	V	Harlem Summer	X	The Princess Diaries	Z
The House of Dies Drear	V	The High King	X	Rain Is Not My Indian Name	Z
The Maze	V	Homecoming	X	Samir And Yonatan	Z
The Miserable Mill	V	Homeless Bird	X	Scorpions	Z
The Music of Dolphins	V	The London Eye Mystery	X	Small Steps	Z
The Reptile Room	V	The Looking Glass Wars	X	Speak	Z
The Same Stuff as Stars	V	Misfits	X	Stormbreaker: The Graphic No	Z
The Wanderer	V	The Postcard	X	Stuck In Neutral	Z
The Westing Gate	V	Ptolemy's Gate	X	Summer Of Secrets	Z
The White Mountain	V	The Ruins of Gorian	X	Uglies	Z
The Young Merlin Trilogy	V	Saving the World and Other...	X	Until We Meet Again	Z
Things Not Seen	V	School's Out-Forever	X	Witness	Z
What Every Girls Except Me Knows	V	Wednesday Wars	X	A Wizard of Earthsea	Z
Who Put the Hair in my Tooth	V	The Amulet of Samarkand	Y	Woman Hollering Creek & Othe	Z
Williwaw	V	Artemis Fowl	Y	A Great & Terrible Beauty	Z+
Words of Stone	V	Athletic Shorts: Six Short...	Y	The Beast	Z+
A Wrinkle of Time	W	Dangerous Days of Daniel X	Y	Black Heart	Z+
Bone: The Complete Cartoon	W	The Evolution of Capurnia Tate	Y	Blood Captain	Z+
Book of a Thousand Days	W	House of the Scorpion	Y	Darkness Before Dawn	Z+
Broken China	W	The Man Who Was Poe	Y	Demons Of The Ocean	Z+
City of Ember	W	Milkweed	Y	The First Part Last	Z+
Coraline	W	Touching Spirit Bear	Y	Like Sisters On The Homefront	Z+
Dairy Queen	W	The Underneath	Y	Rhymes With Witches	Z+
Daniel X: Alien Hunter	W	Allies of the Night	Z	Secrets In The Shadows	Z+
Dead Girls Don't Write Letters	W	A Matter of Trust	Z		
Drive-By	W	American Eyes	Z		
Elijah of Buxton	W	Among The Betrayed	Z		
Freak the Mighty	W	Among The Hidden	Z		
Heartbeat	W	Among The Imposters	Z		
Hoot	W	A Wizard of Earthsea	Z		
Inkheart	W	The Breadwinner	Z		
Max the Mighty	W	Brothers In Arms	Z		
Out from Boneville	W	Catalyst	Z		
The Ghost's Grave	W	Fever 1793	Z		
The Green Glass Sea	W	Forged By Fire	Z		
The House of Mango Street	W	From The Notebooks of Melani	Z		
The Invention of Hugo Cabret	W	The Golden Compass	Z		
The Lightening Thief	W	Guys Write For Guys Read	Z		
The Skin I'm In	W	Hunters Of The Dusk	Z		
Tuck Everlasting	W	I Haden't Meant To Tell You Thi	Z		
Tunnels	W	If A Tree Falls At Lunch Time	Z		
Walk Two Moons	W	Killers Of The Dawn	Z		